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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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**Attorney Docket No. 080398.P451**

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**First Named Inventor** Lau et al.

**Title:** SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COMMON INTEREST ANALYSIS AMONG MULTIPLE USERS

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2.        **Applicant Claims Small Entity Status. (37 CFR 1.27)**
3.   X   **Specification (Total Pages   11  )**  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)  
- Descriptive Title of the Invention  
- Cross Reference to Related Applications  
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
- Reference sequence listing, a table,  
    or a computer program listing appendix  
- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
- Abstract of the Disclosure
4.   X   **Drawings(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets   4  )**
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b.        Copy from a Prior Application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
    (for Continuation/Divisional with Box 17 completed)  
    i.        **DELETIONS OF INVENTOR(S)** Signed statement attached deleting  
        inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2)  
        and 1.33(b).  
c.        Unsigned.
6.        **Application Data Sheet. (37 CFR 1.76)**
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8.        Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
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- 18A. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:**

**Applicant(s):** Also include a Preliminary Amendment to amend the specification to claim priority.

**18B. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) for continuing application:**

**19. Correspondence Address**

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- [ ] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**

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## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

<u>Large Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>			
Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee		
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)	<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
101	710	201	355	Utility application filing fee	710.00
106	320	206	160	Design application filing fee	
107	490	207	245	Plant filing fee	
108	710	208	355	Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214	75	Provisional application filing fee	

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## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

2. <u>EXTRA CLAIM FEES</u>			<u>Fee from below</u>		<u>Fee Paid</u>
		<u>Extra Claims</u>			
Total Claims	<u>16</u>	- 20** = <u>0</u>	X	=	<u>          </u>
Independent Claims	<u>3</u>	- 3** = <u>0</u>	X	=	<u>          </u>
Multiple Dependent				=	<u>          </u>

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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	209	40	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	710	246	355	For filing a submission after final rejection (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (see 37 CFR 1.129(b))	
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
195	300	195	300	Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication	
196	300	196	300	Publication fee for republication	
194	130	194	130	Request for voluntary publication or republication	
098	130	098	130	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i)	
091	1,240	091	1,240	Acceptance of unintentionally delayed claim for priority	

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